

MEDIA ADVISORY

Washington, DC – Congresswoman Betty McCollum (MN-04) will hold a health care reform community discussion at Macalester College on Monday, August 31, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. to discuss the immediate need to repair America's broken health care system and the *America's Affordable Health Choices Act of 2009* (H.R. 3200), legislation introduced by the U.S. House to reduce cost, increase access and ensure quality care for all Americans.

Some 60 million Americans are uninsured or under-insured and are too often left to access care in the emergency room -- where it is too expensive and too late. Millions more are just one pink-slip away from completely losing health insurance. It is time to build a health care system focused on outcomes for patients rather than profits for the health care industry.

Event: Health Care Reform Community Discussion

Date: Monday, August 31, 2009

Time: 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. CDT

Location: Weyerhaeuser Chapel, Macalester College, 1600 Grand Avenue, St. Paul, MN

Congresswoman Betty McCollum (MN-4) serves on the House Appropriations & Budget Committees.

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